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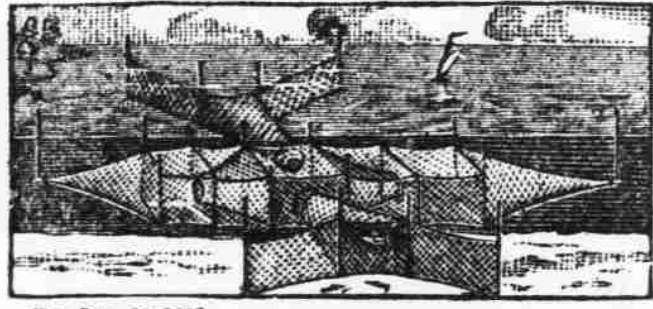
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**The Truth of the Matter.**  
Once a pleasure loving Teuton put his Sunday go to — suit on, and he started for a frolic in the much neglected zoo.

Gazed with speechless satisfaction upon every rare attraction, and he wondered when 'twas over what he next had better do.

But his moment's indecision was arrested by a vision, and at once the other creatures seemed comparatively crude.

"'Twas that gratis exhibition of conceit and inattention, that from poverty of language we are forced to call a "Dude."

But the Teuton, unacquainted with the genius, nearly fainted, could that be a human being so unusually shaped?

"Hi!" he yelled, the seven sleepers must have opened up their peepers. "Got in himmel, ver's der keeper for der mongkey half escaped."

—Philadelphia Press.

### DISAPPEARED.

Mr. Robert Madre, a young white man living below Edenton, near Albemarle Sound, has been missing since January last. No one knows of his whereabouts and, after diligent inquiry and search in the neighborhood, have been unable to find any trace of him whatever. He is about 5 feet, 9 inches high, spare built, light hair and blue eyes, 24 or 25 years of age and weighs about 135 pounds. At the time of his absenting himself he was wearing light-grey cassimere pants, a grey flannel shirt, laced up in front, and a pair of shoes with green cloth tops. He had on the left of his throat and neck a wen. Any information concerning his whereabouts will be received at this office and communicated to his many relatives and friends who are very anxious about his safety.

### THE FEAST.

The feast given by the ladies of the M. E. Church South, last week, was largely attended and liberally patronized. Each night of the three found a crowd gathered for refreshments which, in rich profusion, were spread by feminine hands ever ready for labor when God is to be honored and His Church helped.

What the church would do without its women, remains among the unanswered questions of the times. First at the cross, and last at the sepulchre. First in sacrifice and last to surrender in labors of love and benevolence.

The proceeds of the feast amounted to more than \$150.00.

### ESTIMATE OF THE LOSS.

An estimate of the loss at the late Pennsylvania floods is as follows:

Mineral Point—Lives lost 16; property \$100,000.

East Conemaugh and Frankling (the town borough), lives 38; property \$1,200,000.

Woodvale, lives 300; property \$3,500,000.

Johnstown and Millville, lives 7,000; property \$13,000,000.

Kernville, lives 600; property \$300,000.

Cambria, lives 1,100; property \$750,000.

Minersville, lives 8; property \$15,000.

Morrellville, lives 1; property \$10,000.

Sheridan and Coopersdale, no lives; property \$75,000.

Pennsylvania railroad \$15,000,000.

Total lives 9,663; property \$34,075,000.

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### NORTH CAROLINA CLIPPINGS.

Raleigh has raised the amount offered Trinity College to move to that city.

The colored people of Wilmington are making a move toward forming a building and loan association.

The Raleigh Signal, Rep., has suspended Mr. Harris, the editor says he has lost several thousand dollars by it.

Maj. Harrell has everything in good shape for the teachers' excursion to Europe. They go July 4th, and there will be 110 in the party.

Senator M. W. Ransom, while walking in his garden a few days since, fell and broke one of his arms, which prevented his attending the University commencement where he was to deliver the alumni address.

The Chronicle tells of a letter that passed through Wilksboro' postoffice recently, addressed as follows: To Mr. Benjamin Harrison, President, Washington postoffice, near Baltimore Maryland, in care of Hon. Z. B. Vance, Esq.

Governor Fowle always plays to win. His most popular move is that of taking Miss Helen with him wherever he goes. Some may resist the Governor's silver tongue, but all are captured by Miss Helen's grace and beauty.—New Bern Journal.

A new boy preacher has been creating quite an excitement in Georgia. This latest evangelist bears the unpoetic name of Jimmie Cook. He is twelve years old, and weighs about 50 pounds. He delivers stirring sermons from biblical text, and has converted quite a number of persons.—Ex.

It is said that the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Company have a project on foot for the building of a line to Goldsboro', N. C., for the purpose of opening up a heavily-wooded country which lacks railway facilities, and also with the ultimate object of gaining a foothold in the Southern coal and iron producing centres.

The oldest house in Pittsboro has been torn down. It was a small one and a half story building, and was erected shortly after the Revolutionary war. Early in the century it was occupied by Mr. Winship Stedman, the grandfather of Hon. C. M. Stedman. For the few years past it has been occupied by Dr. H. T. Chapin, who will now build on its site a large two story building.

The young men of Raleigh are working to have a dog show sometime in July. The varieties of dogs in this vicinity is surprisingly large. The number includes hounds, pointers, setters, coolies, mastiffs, St. Bernards, Newfoundland, bulldogs, pugs, poodles, a dozen kinds of terriers, bloodhounds, retrievers, black and tans, beagles, dachmounds, English and Italian greyhounds, Mexican dogs, and a number of other kinds, all of which are owned in Raleigh township.—Biblical Recorder.

The Norfolk Virginian says, the two greatest money losers by the storm and the bursting reservoir have been the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the Cambria Iron Company. They are also the largest contributors to the relief fund.

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### Elephants as Freight.

The habitual caution of these intelligent creatures is illustrated when they are traveling from show to show. Should several be in a car together, one of their number will remain awake on guard while the others are sleeping.

Some years ago experiments were made in the transport of elephants by railway. One of the ordinary cattle wagons of the East India railway was fitted up for the purpose, and the animal was placed in the center space of the wagon, between six shafts, a breast and back bar, and secured in addition by anklets on the fore and hind feet, united by couplings transversely and longitudinally, and further by four diagonal mooring chains passing through holes and lashed round the corner pillars of the wagon. The first elephant loaded, having his head free, took the opportunity to remove with his trunk a portion of the roof of the truck; it was therefore found necessary to put a collar round the neck of the elephant, with a vertical chain leading through and secured to the floor.

In this way a successful experiment was made to Pundooah and back, the animal showing no signs of fear or making any attempt to free himself.—Chamber's Journal.

### Attention Teachers!

The State Board of Education have determined to send Prof. J. Y. Joyner to hold an Institute at Edenton, for white teachers, under the provisions of chapter 200, laws of 1889, beginning on the 29th day of July and continuing one week. All white teachers in Chowan county are required to attend continuously the session of said Institute and, on failure so to do, they shall not be certified as teachers for the ensuing year. I give this notice, thus early, that teachers may make every arrangement necessary to be present.

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### SOMETHING NEW AND UNEXPECTED.

A striking feature of the progress of the new South came to light in Boston last week when the bid of a Georgia iron firm for an iron contract in that city was found to be lower than that of any of its competitors. The advantages of the Georgia concern is supposed to be due to low freight rates by water. In any case it is a wonderful change in the condition of things which enables Georgia to supply Massachusetts with cheap iron.—Washington Post.

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